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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the application papers for a patent in the name(s) of Dr. Nadim Joni Shah, Vikariestrasse 4, D-52441 Linnich, Germany -and- Prof. Dr. Karl Zilles, Bodelschwinghstrasse 13-A, D-50859 Köln, Germany, with both inventors having Post Office addresses the same as the residences -ENTITLED- "TECHNIQUE TO EXAMINE AN OBJECT" -with- One (1) Sheet of Drawings.

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